Mountain Weather Forecast

Northwest Highlands

Including Sutherland, Ben Wyvis, Wester Ross, The Cuillin, Glen Affric, Glen Shiel and Knoydart
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 12 Jun 2022 until 23:59 on Monday 13 Jun 2022

Forecast Issued on Saturday 11 Jun 2022 at 14:37 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for cold, windy conditions in the hills on Sunday and Monday with showers. Lower confidence for thicker cloud bringing occasional rain on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Headline for Sunday 12 Jun 2022: Bright spells. Scattered showers. Still quite windy. Cold over higher ridges/summits.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 12 Jun 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Medium Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Precipitation probability							
60%	40%	30%	40%	40%	30%	20%	10%

Forecast for Sunday 12 Jun 2022

Weather: Still some showers but fewer and lighter compared with Saturday and passing by quickly. Also a brighter day with sunny interludes, especially in east of area.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 70%.

Low cloud and visibility: Generally very good visibility with patchy cloud cover about 800 to 900m. Patches of poor visibility as showers pass by especially over hills near to West Coast, with clouds lowering briefly.

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Forecast for Sunday 12 Jun 2022

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	37/46 W	34/43 W	33/42 W	31/41 W	29/40 W	29/40 W	27/37 W	25/33 W	24/33 W
900	36/45 W	32/41 W	31/41 W	30/40 W	28/39 W	29/40 W	27/36 W	23/32 W	23/32 W
600	26/36 SW	23/32 W	23/32 W	22/32 W	21/32 W	22/33 W	20/30 W	16/25 W	17/25 W
300	10/36 W	7/31 W	9/32 W	7/30 W	10/33 W	11/34 W	10/31 W	7/25 W	7/25 W
Glen	16/31 W	14/28 W	15/28 W	14/27 W	15/28 W	16/30 W	15/28 W	11/21 W	10/20 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	4/-3	3/-4	3/-4	3/-4	4/-3	4/-3	3/-3	3/-4	3/-4
900	5/-2	4/-3	4/-3	4/-3	4/-2	5/-2	4/-2	3/-2	3/-2
600	7/2	6/1	6/1	6/2	7/2	7/2	6/2	6/2	6/1
300	8/6	8/6	8/6	9/7	10/8	11/8	10/7	8/7	8/6
Glen	11/8	11/8	11/8	12/9	12/9	12/9	12/9	11/9	10/9
Freezing Level*	1700m	1400m	1400m	1400m	1300m	1300m	1300m	1300m	1400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Note combination of strong winds and temperatures of 3 to 5 Celsius will make it feel unseasonably cold at higher elevations.

Forecast for Monday 13 Jun 2022
Weather: Mainly dry, bright start, then rather cloudy. Patches of thicker cloud moving in from the west coast will bring a little rain at times during the day.

Maximum wind: Westerly winds with average speeds of 20 to 30mph and gusts 40mph on the tops.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80% decreasing 40% in afternoon, best chances in east of area.

Low cloud and visibility: Mostly very good visibility at first with clouds above 700 to 800m. Becoming misty by afternoon as patchy rain moves in, especially west of area where cloud bases will lower to about 600m. Patches lower down over hills near to West Coast by evening.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 8 Celsius rising to 15 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 6 Celsius rising to 9 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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